

# California Water Environment Association (CWEA) Membership Application

**Application Includes Water Environment Federation Membership Information**

## CWEA & WEF Purpose & Background

The California Water Environment Association (CWEA) is a non-profit, voluntary organization dedicated to the educational development of its members, and the dissemination of information concerning all aspects of the water environment industry.

CWEA is a Member Association of the worldwide Water Environment Federation (WEF). WEF is comprised of over 70 Member Associations and seven Operators' Associations.

With over 9,000 members and 17 Local Sections, CWEA is the largest Member Association in the Federation.

## CWEA Membership Categories

Each of the following memberships include membership in one of CWEA's 17 Local Sections.

**Association:** Membership in CWEA, including one Local Section. Association members may join and hold office in Local Sections of the CWEA, may vote at CWEA level, but may not hold office at the state level, or vote or hold office at the WEF level.

**Active:** Membership in both the CWEA, including one CWEA Local Section and WEF. Active members are eligible to hold office in WEF, CWEA and its Local Sections and have full voting privileges.

**PWO:** Professional Wastewater Operations (PWO) membership is open to individuals who are actively involved, on a day-to-day basis, with the operation and maintenance of wastewater collection, treatment, and laboratory facilities. PWO members are eligible to hold CWEA, WEF and Local Section office and have full voting rights.

The Purpose of this Association is to enhance the education and effectiveness of California wastewater professionals through training, certification, dissemination of technical information, and promotion of sound policies to benefit society through protection and enhancement of the water environment.



California Water  
Environment  
Association

**Rates Effective  
July 1, 2009**

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### CWEA Benefits:

#### Education & Training

- Annual Conference
- SSO-WDR Workshops
- Regional and Specialty Topic Conferences
- Kirt Brooks Scholarships

#### Certification

- Technical Certification — Offered in six vocations.
- Free Study Guides.

#### Technical Resources

- Wastewater Professional magazine, the E-Bulletin, Manuals of Good Practice, and the Branding Manual.

#### Recognition of Achievement

- State Awards Program — Over 350 Awards given annually

#### Networking

- 17 Local Sections
- 26 Vocation-Related Committees

# CWEA Membership Categories (continued)

gional Conferences. Corporate members may change their designated representative at any time, with written notice to CWEA. Only the designated representative has voting privileges. You can become a CWEA Corporate Member or WEF & CWEA Corporate Member.

**Retired:** Open to individuals who are retired from the wastewater industry, but wish to remain involved with and informed of CWEA and WEF activities and programs. Individuals may not hold this classification beyond the first anniversary date following re-employment and/or professional affiliation within the water environment field. Includes one CWEA Local

Section Membership.

**CWEA Utility:** Utility members are individuals employed by wastewater and water districts, utilities and agencies. Each Utility member designates ONE representative who receives one CWEA individual membership, one Local Section membership, 10% discount on all CWEA publications, and 10% off job listings on the CWEA website. Utility members may change their designated representative at any time, with written notice to CWEA. Only the designated representative has voting privileges.

## CWEA Membership Application Codes & Local Section Information

Organization, Job and Key Focus Areas

<p><b>1. What is the nature of your organization? Check one only. (ORG)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Municipal/district water and wastewater systems and/or plants</li> <li>2. Municipal/district wastewater only systems and/or plants</li> <li>3. Municipal/district water only systems and/or plants</li> <li>4. Industrial systems/plants (manufacturing, processing, extraction)</li> <li>5. Consulting or contracting firm (e.g., engineering, contracting and environmental)</li> <li>6. Government agency (e.g., EPA, state agency, etc.)</li> <li>7. Research or analytical laboratories</li> <li>8. Educational institution (colleges and universities, libraries, and other related organizations)</li> <li>9. Manufacturer of water/wastewater equipment or products</li> <li>10. Water/wastewater product distributor or manufacturer's rep.</li> <li>11. Other (please specify)</li> </ol> <p>_____</p>	<p><b>2. What is your Primary JOB FUNCTION? (JOB)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Upper or Senior Management (e.g., President, Vice President, owner, Director, Executive Director, General Manager, Mayor, etc.)</li> <li>2. Engineering, Laboratory and pertains to Management (e.g., Superintendent, Manager, Section Head, Department Head, Chief Engineer, Division Head, etc.,)</li> <li>3. Engineering and Design Staff (e.g., consulting engineer, civil engineer, mechanical engineer, chemical engineer, planning engineer, etc.)</li> <li>4. Scientific and Research Staff (e.g., chemist, biologist, analyst, lab technician, etc.)</li> <li>5. Operations (e.g., shift supervisor, foreman, plant operator, service representative, collection systems operator, etc.)</li> <li>6. Purchasing/Marketing/Sales (e.g., purchasing, sales person, market representative, market analyst, etc.)</li> <li>7. Educator (e.g., professor, teacher, etc.)</li> <li>8. Student</li> <li>9. Other (please specify)</li> </ol> <p>_____</p>	<p><b>3. What areas do you consider to be your KEY FOCUS AREAS? Check all that apply.</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Collection Systems</li> <li>2. Drinking water</li> <li>3. Industrial water/wastewater/process water</li> <li>4. Groundwater</li> <li>5. Odor/air emissions</li> <li>6. Land and soil systems</li> <li>7. Legislation</li> <li>8. Public Education/information</li> <li>9. Residuals/sludge/biosolids/solid waste</li> <li>10. Stormwater</li> <li>11. Toxic and hazardous material</li> <li>12. Utility management and environmental</li> <li>13. Wastewater</li> <li>14. Water reuse and/or recycle</li> <li>15. Watershed/surface water systems</li> <li>16. Water/wastewater analysis and health/safety water systems</li> <li>17. Other</li> </ol>
<p>4. How many years have you worked in the industry? (Optional)</p>	<p>5. What is your gender? (Optional) Male _____ Female _____</p>	<p>6. What is your date of birth? (Optional) Month, Date, Year _____</p>

### Local Section Yearly Membership Fees

For more information, please see the Local Section boundary descriptions at [www.cwea.org](http://www.cwea.org)

Central San Joaquin	\$12	North Coast	\$12	Santa Ana River Basin	\$12
Colorado River Basin	\$12	Northern San Joaquin	\$12	Santa Clara Valley	\$12
Desert & Mountain	\$12	Northern Sacramento Valley	\$12	San Francisco Bay	\$12
Golden Empire	\$12	Redwood Empire	\$12	Sierra	\$12
Los Angeles Basin	\$12	San Diego	\$12	Tri-Counties	\$12
Monterey Bay	\$12	Sacramento Area	\$12		

# CWEA Individual and Corporate Membership Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Job Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Employer Street Address/City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailing Address/City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If Different from Above)  
 Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Is this home or business? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor Name & Sponsor ID # (Optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Please refer to the codes on the previous page.

1. Organization Code: \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Function Code: \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Key Focus Area Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. Number of Years in Industry: \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Gender (Optional): \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Date of Birth (Optional): \_\_\_\_\_

**CWEA Association Membership**  
 Membership at State level and one Local Section.

CWEA/ 1 Local Section Dues:	<b>\$132.00</b>
CWEA Bulletin (12 Electronic)	Included
CWEA Wastewater Professional (3)	Included
Membership Discounts on Conferences	Included
Membership Discounts on Training	Included
Membership Discounts on Publications	Included
Membership Discounts on CWEA TCP	Included

**Local Section (s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Local Section Fees: \$** \_\_\_\_\_  
 (\$12 per additional LS)

**Membership Total:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**CWEA Corporate Membership**  
 Corporate Membership in CWEA and one Local Section.

CWEA/ 1 Local Section Dues:	<b>\$262.00</b>
CWEA Bulletin (12 Electronic)	Included
CWEA Wastewater Professional (3)	Included
10% off all CWEA Publications	Included
10% Discount on first Annual Booth	Included
10% off first Regional Booth	Included
50% off first month web advertisement	Included

**Local Section (s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Local Section Fees: \$** \_\_\_\_\_  
 (\$12 per additional LS)

**Membership Total:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**CWEA Utility Membership**  
 Membership at State level and one Local Section.

CWEA/ 1 Local Section Dues:	<b>\$262.00</b>
CWEA Bulletin (12 Electronic)	Included
CWEA Wastewater Professional (3)	Included
10% off all CWEA Publications	Included
Free Access to the CWEA Utility Member Only Chat Area	Included
10% off job listings on CWEA website	Included

**Local Section (s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Local Section Fees: \$** \_\_\_\_\_  
 (\$12 per additional LS)

**Membership Total:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**WEF Active Membership**  
 Membership in WEF, CWEA and one Local Section.

WEF/CWEA/1 LS Dues:	<b>\$217.00</b>
CWEA Bulletin (12 Electronic)	Included
CWEA Wastewater Professional (3)	Included
WEF Highlights	Included
One Complimentary WEF Subscription	Included
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Env. & Tech (w/Ops Forum)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Environment Research	

**Local Section (s) :** \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Local Section Fees: \$** \_\_\_\_\_  
 (\$12 per additional LS)

**Membership Total:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

To join more than one Local Section, please enter the names of all you wish to join on the Local Section line and subtotal the cost under Local Section Fees line.

Your dues are not tax-deductible as a charitable donation, but may be deducted as a business expense. CWEA is a non-profit California Corporation.



# CWEA Individual and Corporate Membership Application (Continued)

**WEF Corporate Membership**  
 Membership in WEF, CWEA Corporate Membership, and one Local Section.

WEF/CWEA/1 Local Section Dues: **\$512.00**  
 CWEA Bulletin (12 Electronic) Included  
 CWEA Wastewater Professional (3) Included  
 WEF Highlights Included  
 Water Env. & Tech (w/Ops Forum) Included  
 Water Environment Research Included  
 Industrial Wastewater Included  
 Water Regulations Watch Included

**Local Section (s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Local Section Fees:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 (\$12 per additional LS)

**WEF PWO Membership**  
 Individuals who are actively involved in a day-to-day basis with the operation & maintenance of wastewater collection, treatment and/or lab facilities.

WEF/CWEA/1 Local Section Dues: **\$177.00**  
 CWEA Bulletin (12 Electronic) Included  
 CWEA Wastewater Professional (3) Included  
 WEF Highlights Included  
 One Complimentary WEF Subscription Included  
 Water Env. & Tech (w/Ops Forum)  
 Lab Solutions

**Local Section (s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Local Section Fees:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 (\$12 per additional LS)

**Membership Total:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**WEF Student Membership**  
 Enrolled at least half-time in an accredited college or university. Students MUST show proof of enrollment with their membership application.

WEF/CWEA/1 Local Section Dues: **\$20.00**  
 CWEA Bulletin (12 Electronic) Included  
 CWEA Wastewater Professional (3) Included  
 WEF Highlights Included  
 One Complimentary WEF Subscription Included  
 Water Env. & Tech (w/Ops Forum)

**Local Section (s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Local Section Fees:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 (\$12 per additional LS)

**Membership Total:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**WEF Retired Membership**  
 Individuals who are retired from the wastewater industry but wish to remain involved and informed of CWEA and WEF activities.

WEF/CWEA/1 Local Section Dues: **\$91.00**  
 CWEA Bulletin (12 Electronic) Included  
 CWEA Wastewater Professional (3) Included  
 WEF Highlights Included  
 Annual Buyers Guide Included  
 WEF Yearbook Included  
 Technical Resource Catalog Included

**Local Section (s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Local Section Fees:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 (\$12 per additional LS)

**Membership Total:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**If applying for WEF Membership, additional WEF Publications are available for sale.**

<input type="checkbox"/> Biosolids Technical Bulletin	\$89.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Practice Online Journal	\$50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Utility Executive	\$89.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Environ. & Tech (w/Ops Forum)	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Env. Research (online)	\$75.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Industrial Wastewater Tech Bulletin	\$89.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Environment Lab. Solutions	\$59.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Env. Research (print & online)	\$125.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Environment Reg. Watch	\$50.00	<input type="checkbox"/> World Water & Env. Engineering	\$75.00

**WEF Publications Total** \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to make a tax deductible contribution to the Kirt H. Brooks Memorial Water Environment Scholarship Program.

Contributor  \$300 or more  Booster  \$25-\$299  Other \_\_\_\_\_ **Total Payment:** \_\_\_\_\_

You may pay by CHECK, MONEY ORDER, VISA, MASTERCARD, DISCOVER OR AMEX.  
 If using credit card, please fill out the following information.

Visa  Mastercard  Discover  AMEX Account #: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Account Holder: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail or fax this application and payments to:  
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